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In re the Application of

Akihiro MURATA

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Docket No.:

109278

Filed: April 16, 2001

For:

THREE-DIMENSIONAL MOUNTED ASSEMBLY, METHOD OF

MANUFACTURING THE SAME, AND OPTICAL TRANSMISSION DEVICE

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS WITH DECLARATION

Director of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application - Filing Date Granted (copy attached) mailed on June 5, 2001, submitted herewith is the executed Declaration of the inventor. Any specification attached to and referenced in the Declaration is a copy of the specification and any amendments thereto which were filed in the Office in order to obtain a filing date for the application.

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The Director is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee (or credit any overpayment) associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 15-0461. Two duplicate copies of this paper are attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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REQUEST FOR CORRECTION OF PALM RECORDS

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Attached is a photocopy of the original filing receipt on which errors have been corrected in red. These errors are being brought to the attention of the Patent and Trademark Office so that it may correct its records.

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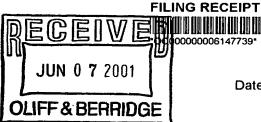
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Title

Three-dimensional mounted assembly, method of manufacturing the same, and optical transmission device

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